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FDD Abstract of [REDACTED]

Evaluation

EVALUATION OF THE 1949 AGRICULTURAL CENSUS(9pp; German; [REDACTED])

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This nine-page document is a suggested outline for a report based on the statistics obtained from the agricultural census of 1949: A. Introduction to the agricultural census of 1949. Carrying out the census. 1. The collection of data; a) Legal basis for the census, b) Census documents, c) Scope of the census. 2. The preparations; a) Program for the preparations, b) Carrying out the preparations. 3. Compilation of the tables. 4. Distribution of results. 5. Comparison with previous censuses; a) Changes in territory, b) Changes in method.

B. Number and area of agricultural and forestry enterprises. Here special emphasis is to be given to the density of agricultural and forestry enterprises with reference to the total area and to the population.

C. Ownership of agricultural and forestry enterprises. Here special emphasis is to be given to the changes in ownership which have taken place as a result of the land reform and the creation of state farms.

D. Ownership of agricultural and forestry enterprises. Enterprises that are privately owned and those that are leased are to be distinguished. Here also will be shown what proportion of the areas are meadows, what proportion is sown to grain, fruit, etc.

F. [sic] Livestock in agricultural and forestry enterprises. The entire livestock count should be compared with the 1939 count. A general picture of the livestock numbers should be given, and then broken down into a) horses, b) cattle, c) hogs, d) other livestock (goats, sheep, etc.)

G. The labor force and its technical training in the agricultural and forestry enterprises: How many owners run their own enterprises, how many workers are employed, how well trained the workers are, etc.

H. Usage of machinery and tools that are owned by agricultural and forestry enterprises themselves. [i.e. not by the Machine Rental Stations.] This should also include use of borrowed machinery.

[NOTE -- From the description it seems possible that the census material referred to is that which forms the enclosure to [REDACTED], which is at [REDACTED] present being exploited by FDD [REDACTED]

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